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Re:

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CC Docket 92-237

Dear Ms. Salas:

The attached letter was sent to Ms. Renee Alexander, Network Services Division, and should be entered into the record of the above referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

Attachment

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April 21, 1998

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Ms. Renee Alexander Network Services Division Federal Communications Commission 2000 M Street, NW Room 235 Washington, DC 20554

Re:

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CC Docket 92-237

Dear Ms. Alexander:

Pursuant to our telephone call on April 20, 1998, the following are the responses to the two questions we discussed.

Ouestion 1:

How long will the educational announcement be available in the network?

Response:

At Ameritech, the educational announcement is planned to be available in the network a minimum of six months. This period is envisioned to be sufficient to remind customers to dial using the new pattern (e.g., 101XXXX). However, in the unlikely event there is evidence that an excessive amount of calls are still being routed to the educational announcement, it will remain in the network beyond six months.

Ouestion 2:

What will customers hear after the educational announcement is removed from the network if they attempt a call using the old dialing pattern (e.g., 10XXX).

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Response:

The customer will be routed to a vacant code announcement. The verbiage for this announcement is as follows:

"We're sorry, your call cannot be completed as dialed. Please check the number and dial again, or call your operator for assistance."

Sincerely, Lelia May alk

cc: G. Matise